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To: All Employees

From: State Director

Subject: Establishment of the San Luis Valley Public Lands Center, CO-500

I am pleased to announce that effective April 18, 2004, BLM and Forest Service organizations in the San Luis Valley will be combined to create the San Luis Valley Public Lands Center. Peter Clark, Rio Grande National Forest Supervisor, will serve as the new San Luis Valley Public Lands Center Manager, and Jim Rhett, Front Range Center Associate Manager, will serve as the new San Luis Valley Public Lands Center Associate Manager.

The ultimate vision for public land administration in the San Luis Valley is to provide the most efficient, effective management of public and national forest system lands in the area. Our objective is to provide an integrated organization that ensures one-stop service to customers through the proficient use of personnel and funding resources to more effectively and proficiently manage land and natural resources. The geography, ecosystems, land uses, and land ownership patterns in the Valley are perfect for seamless management of public and national forest system lands across the landscape.

As a result of this action, the Front Range Center will be abolished. Employees assigned to the Front Range Center, CO-500, and the Front Range Center Fire Staff, CO-502, will be realigned to the Royal Gorge Field Office, CO-200. Employees assigned to the Front Range Center Detached Office, CO-501, will be realigned to the new San Luis Valley Public Lands Center, CO-500. Employees assigned to the La Jara, Saguache, and Del Norte Field Offices will not be affected by this organizational change.

I would like to thank Roy Masinton, Front Range Center Manager, Jim Rhett, Front Range Center Associate Center Manager, and Pete Clark, Forest Supervisor, for their leadership during the past 18 months while we went through the process of establishing the San Luis Valley Public Lands Center and for their on-going support of Service First. I would also like to thank all those employees who worked through the myriad of details required to implement this new Center.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Melissa Dukes, Human Resources Officer, at 303-239-3920.

Signed by Ron Wenker State Director Authenticated by Don Snow EMS Operator

1 Attachment

1 – BLM Colorado Table of Organization dated April 18, 2004

BLM COLORADO TABLE 10

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ORGANIZATION

CODE ORGANIZATION TITLE

CO10000 Little Snake Field Office

CO11000 White River Field Office

CO12000 Kremmling Field Office

CO13000 Grand Junction Field Office

CO13400 Colorado Canyon National Conservation Area

CO14000 Glenwood Springs Field Office

CO15000 Uncompangre Field Office

CO15400 Gunnison Gorge National Conservation Area

CO16000 Gunnison Field Office

CO20000 Royal Gorge Field Office

CO50000 San Luis Valley Public Lands Center Title Change

CO50100 Front Range Center Detached Office Abolish
CO50200 Front Range Interagency Fire Staff Abolish

CO51000 La Jara Field Office CO52000 Saguache Field Office CO53000 Del Norte Field Office

CO60000 Western Slope Center

CO60100 Craig/Routt Interagency Fire Staff

CO60200 Upper Colorado River Interagency Fire Staff

CO60300 Montrose Interagency Fire Staff

CO80000 San Juan Public Lands Center

CO81000 Marcos/Dolores Field Office

CO81100 Marcos/Dolores Field Office Interagency Fire Staff

CO82000 Columbine Field Office CO83000 Pagosa Springs Field Office

CO84000 Canyon of the Ancients National Monument

CO91000 Office of the State Director

CO91200 Office of Communication CO91300 Office of Budget Management

Branch of Solid Minerals CO92100 CO92200 Branch of Fluid Minerals CO92300 Branch of Lands and Realty CO93000 Division of Resources and Fire Management CO93100 Branch of Social and Cultural Resources CO93200 **Branch of Natural Resources** CO93600 Branch of Fuels Management CO93700 Branch of Fire & Aviation CO95000 Division of Support Services

CO95100 Branch of Administrative Services/Land Records

Branch of Engineering Construction and

Division of Energy, Lands, and Minerals

CO95200 Maintenance

CO95300 Branch of Human Resources CO95400 Branch of IRM & Access CO95600 Branch of Cadastral Survey

CO97012 PCS

CO92000